

CITY AFFAIRS.

ADVERTISERS will take notice that we cannot engage any advertisement sent to this office at a later hour than half-past nine o'clock at night will appear in the next morning's paper. An exception to this rule is made in favor of notices of meetings, deaths and funerals.

Auction Sales This Day.

John G. Milnor & Co. will sell at 10 o'clock, at their store, cassimere, satins, &c.

RANGE of the Thermometer at Joseph Blackman's drug store, No. 39 Broad street, September 28: 8 o'clock, 74; 10, 80; 12, 82; 2, 80; 4, 80; 6, 78; 8, 77.

UNITED STATES TROOPS FOR LAURENS.—At the instance of Governor Scott, it is supposed, General Terry, commanding the Department of the South, has ordered that two companies of the Eighth Infantry be sent to Newberry and Laurens. An officer who was sent up to survey the field is said to have reported that "the regulars" must go up at once.

INQUEST.—Yesterday morning Coroner Whiting held an inquest at the Roper Hospital, upon the body of James Williams, a seaman, belonging to the British bark Catalina, who died on the way from his vessel to the hospital, Tuesday evening. A post mortem examination showed that the deceased came to his death from congestion of the liver, and the jury rendered a verdict accordingly.

THE COLUMBIA HOTEL.—This hotel, one of the best in the whole Southern country, is rapidly growing in favor with visitors to the State capital. Mr. Gorman, the proprietor, and Mr. J. D. Budds, the bookkeeper, with an army of chambermaids and waiters, keep the establishment in apple-pie order, and spare no pains to make everybody comfortable and at home. The house is in the centre of the city, on Main street, is handsomely furnished and keeps a luxurious table. What more can be said?

THE ROLLER SKATING RINK at the hall of the Academy of Music, which became so popular and fashionable a resort last spring, under the management of Mr. T. M. DeFoe, will be reopened for the regular fall season, on next Saturday evening, October 1. So many of our young ladies and gentlemen became enthusiastic adepts in this graceful, healthy and exhilarating exercise last season, that the success of the rink, even in the face of the round of attractive public amusements which will have to compete, is assured from the start. We look for a gay and rosy throng to grace the opening assembly on Saturday evening.

CRUMBS.—Among the arrivals at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, on Saturday last, was Senator F. A. Sawyer.

J. M. Magrath and W. N. Taft are talked for by the court reporter's office.

W. H. Peronneau, of Charleston, has been appointed a notary public.

Alfredman J. P. Greene states that his name was used by the convention yesterday without his permission.

The citizens in the vicinity of Reid and America streets complain bitterly of the conduct of a number of men and boys who congregate in that vicinity every night and on Sundays.

VISIT OF JUDGE CARPENTER TO WARD 8.—At half-past 9 o'clock, Tuesday evening, Judge Carpenter, accompanied by several gentlemen, made his appearance in the hall of the Reform Club of Ward 8. He was welcomed with tremendous applause, and three cheers were given for him and his colleague, General Butler. Being loudly called upon for a speech, the Judge said that he had paid this visit without any desire to speak; that his physician had strictly forbidden him to exert himself for at least a few days, but he thanked the fellow-citizens for the courteous manner in which they received him.

After a brief speech from Captain George Thompson, a resolution pledging the members of the club to renew and strengthen their efforts to give Judge Carpenter and General Butler a large majority, was adopted, and the club adjourned.

LOSS OF THE BRIG H. C. BROOKS.—The brig H. C. Brooks, Captain W. B. Smith, left this port on Sunday, the 18th inst., with a cargo of lumber, for Providence, R. I. On Monday, the 19th inst., the vessel was reported to have sprung a leak, and was unable to proceed. Keeping all kinds of pumps, the leak kept steadily gaining and the vessel settled down. On Tuesday made a call to the shore, which proved to be the schooner Zeta, Captain Charles H. Smith, of the same port. The Brooks, having become waterlogged and unmanageable, the crew were compelled to abandon her and were kindly received on board the schooner Zeta, which vessel brought all hands safely to Charleston on Tuesday night. During the day, three engines attached to the brig were washed on board, but were fortunately rescued. There was nothing saved from her.

THE "LOYAL LEAGUES"—THEIR ORIGIN AND THE USE MADE OF THEM.—Daddy Cain, who knows of the inside workings of the Leagues, has written quite a long editorial about the use made of them by the demagogues. He says that during "all the years since the war," the colored people have been held together by the formation of Union Leagues, and the constant efforts of leading demagogues to secure their votes for their own personal elevation to places of honor and trust. The mysteries of the rites of the leagues, the solemn obligations and the high moral sentiments presented, and the religious veneration. Every man initiated into the league by the duty of fidelity, to his country and to his race, as well as of patriotism. Among an enlightened and politically educated people this was a powerful lever for good; but in South Carolina, where the people have been deprived of political instruction to that extent which is necessary to decide between the scheming demagogue's pretensions of honor and his hidden scheme of self-aggrandizement, it has become a mere instrument on which these men have depended to lift themselves into power.

Hotel Arrivals—September 28.

MILLS HOUSE.
J. S. Burgess, Washington; J. M. Hayden, Atlanta; G. L. Heston, New Jersey; T. H. Bunkle, Columbia; James M. Allen and wife, Miss A. Oldham, Greenville; W. C. Carroll and wife, Florida; C. D. Brightman, Massachusetts; H. Etting, J. Gorham, Savannah; C. DuBois, Bluffton.

CHARLESTON HOTEL.
R. A. Harrison, Thos. H. Family Friend; A. B. Noyes, Florida; E. Pepper, Philadelphia; J. S. Buckhalter, Alton; Geo. H. Cornsion, Orangeburg; D. S. Bartlett, Jr., Sauter; A. Whitcove, Marion; M. Marshall, New York; T. Steadman, Philadelphia; J. W. Scott, S. Benjamin, Florida; J. B. Peronneau, lady, servant and child, H. Blum, wife and child, Savannah.

PATILION HOTEL.
C. S. Nowell, Monroe; S. W. Smith, J. N. Hester, Out-Id; W. H. Williamson, Lexington; H. K. Gardner, Eberton; Thomas F. Greener, Newberry; J. B. Barnett, Columbia; T. K. Barnett, N. D. Durham, Shelby, N. C.; D. M. Ward, J. D. Oarrington, Newberry; Harry Tibbs and son, Brookhaven, Mass.; J. M. Humberly, John's Island.

WAR TO THE KNIFE.

THE CONTEST OF THE FACTIONS.

DEATH TO ALL WHO STAND IN THE WAY.

THE CAIN-DE-LARGE CONVENTION.

THE COUNTY TICKET.

Despite the assertions of the Hurley-Bowen supporters that the adherents of DeLarge would not hold a convention, Daddy Cain, who is the leader of the DeLarge faction, held a convention yesterday which, for order, far surpassed the "regular convention" held on the 12th.

R. H. Cain, shortly after 12 o'clock, called the meeting to order, and read his call, denouncing the action of W. H. Misha, "the pretentious county chairman." In calling a convention on the 12th of September, and declaring that the delegates elected under his (Misha's) call were not fairly elected.

On concluding the reading of his call, Mr. Cain, after expressing the hope that the deliberations of this body would be of such a character as would reflect honor upon it and insure to the people all of their rights, retired from the chair.

On motion of L. Bunch, Mr. George Lee, of Summerville, and late member of the Legislature, was elected chairman. On taking the chair Mr. Lee said that this was the time for work and not for talking, and announced that the convention was ready for business.

On motion of L. I. Woolf, a committee, consisting of L. I. Woolf, R. H. Cain, J. P. Howard, W. F. Pinckney, W. A. Grant, Abel Smail and M. F. Becker, was appointed to examine credentials.

A COLORED NORTHERNER INSULTED. The committee retired, and during their absence, Rev. Mr. Adams, chaplain of the last Legislature, was called upon and delivered an address. His speech mainly consisted of a modest statement of his efforts for the last twenty years in the United States, on the sands and in the jungles of Africa, in behalf of the colored people. He admitted that he had been derided, insulted on the right and on the left, all because he had come from the North, but he was a citizen of the United States, and therefore a citizen of South Carolina. He condemned the action of the white men who had come into the State and had sown the seed of discord among the colored people, to divide them and ride upon their shoulders into office, from which they looked down upon the colored men with contempt.

He urged the colored men to stand by each other; they could not afford to be divided; whenever the tug of war comes, the whites will fall on one side and the blacks on the other. Some of the very white men whom the colored men follow and support would not invite the colored men to partake of a social repast with them; no, they consider the colored man their political and not their social equal.

As Mr. Adams was concluding his speech, two colored men got in a squabble, and one of them after asserting that he had fought four years in the army, expressed the desire to fight for a few moments in the hall.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION. The return of the committee on credentials interrupted the disputants. The committee reported that forty-two delegates were present with proper credentials. Ward 1 was not represented.

A committee of seven was appointed on permanent organization. After a short retirement, the committee returned with the following list of officers for the permanent organization. They were duly elected:

George Lee, president; Alex. Williams and L. Bunch, vice-presidents; M. Canfield and Wm. Glover, secretaries; F. Mason and Jacob Golins, sergeants-at-arms.

BOWEN AND WHITMORE DENOUNCED. Dr. H. L. Hammond was called upon, and after eulogizing DeLarge, denounced Bowen.

The latter, said the speaker, could not represent him either morally or intellectually. Those charges against him undid him for representing the people. The speaker was opposed to Whitmore for the reason that there were damaging charges against him also. He knew that Whitmore had appropriated money which he had collected in his district for school purposes; and when he said that he could not find a colored boy in his district competent to be a clerk, he simply lied. The speaker had no doubt that Whitmore had sold the clerkship, and Bowen also. Against DeLarge no such charges could be brought; the only charge against him was that he had made money. This, said the speaker, was no fault; he liked to see people make money. DeLarge had speculated and made money. He did nothing more than the business men of our city have done and are doing.

THE NOMINATIONS. W. A. Grant, G. H. Cain, Jacob West, J. P. Howard, E. Adams, L. I. Woolf and K. B. Moultrie were appointed a committee to make nominations to be submitted to the convention for its approval. After a brief retirement the committee reported the following names, all of the names of the committee excepting that of West being among them:

SENATE—R. H. Cain.
House of Representatives.—From the country—Geo. Lee, St. James Goose Creek; R. B. Moultrie, St. Andrew's Parish; Polado Jenkins, Edisto Island; W. H. W. Gray, John's and Wulma Islands; W. R. Jervay, St. Stephen's Parish; J. M. Gillins, St. John's Berkeley; W. F. Pinckney, St. James Santee; James White, Christ Church Parish; E. J. Adams, at large. From the city—Wm. Grant, Alexander Williams, John C. Malbone, M. Canfield, L. I. Woolf, L. C. Northrop, B. A. Bysman, B. Doscher, Samuel Dickerson.

Judge of Probate—George Bist.
County Commissioners—J. F. Greene, A. A. Aspinall and Stephen Brown.

School Commissioner—H. L. Hammond.

County Coroner—J. P. Howard.

WAR TO THE KNIFE.

A debate ensued regarding the manner of electing the nominees, whether by ballot or acclamation, which resulted in the latter method being decided upon. During this wrangle, Cain was called upon and spoke for fifteen minutes. He admitted that there was great fraud, bribery and corruption in the last Legislature, but not more than in former ones. The only difference between them was, that the members of the former bodies were more skillful in hiding their rascality. The members of the last Legislature, were so learned as their predecessors, were unable to conceal their offences. He regretted the dissensions among the Republicans of Charleston County. He had offered to the Bowen Convention to sacrifice himself, withdraw in favor of Misha for the Senate, if any arrangement could be made to preserve the harmony of the party. But he was met with the reply that "there should be no compromise whatever." To this he answered: "As you have refused to compromise, I say there shall be between us war to the knife, that to the hilt, and death to him who stands in the way." [Enthusiastic applause.]

THE VOTING ON THE NOMINATIONS was commenced after Cain concluded his remarks, and all nominated, excepting J. F. Greene, for county commissioner, F. C. Miller, one of the present commissioners, being nominated instead. There was some objection to E. I. Woolf, as Representative, but the substitute, L. Pinckney, was rejected after two or three tests. There was also opposition to Aspinall and Brown.

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THE TICKET.

On the ticket put forth yesterday, R. H. Cain was senator, and Lee, Gray, Jerrey and Bosman were representatives last year, and E. J. Adams, chaplain. Buist, Boseman, Jerry and Miller are on the Bowen-Hurley ticket. Of the twenty-five nominees, eight—Buist, Hammond, Miller, Doscher, Northrop, Woolf, Canfield, Malbone—are white. White keeps the Fifteen-Mile House; Malbone is proprietor of a saw-mill on Washington street; Canfield is a trial justice, and late claimant for four inspectors' office; Woolf is for a constable; Doscher is proprietor of a news stand near the Postoffice; Dickerson, well, everybody knows Drum-major Sam, now major of the First Regiment South Carolina National Guard; Hammond is a teacher; Howard was elected county coroner by the City Council, but was not permitted to act.

The convention adjourned about 4 P. M.

REFORM MEETINGS.—Last night large and enthusiastic meetings were held in Wards 1, 4, 5 and 7. Brief reports of the meetings are appended:

Ward 1 met at Hibernal Hall at half-past 7 o'clock—President Young in the chair. A letter was received from the Central Club, requesting the club to elect six delegates to the Nominating Convention, on Monday, October 3d. On motion, it was Resolved, that the Nominating Convention be requested in selecting candidates for offices of honor or profit, to select, as far as practicable, such only as have manifested an interest in the Reform party by their attendance at the ward meetings or otherwise. Resolved, that a copy of the above resolution be transmitted to the chairman of the different wards, and also to the nominating committee. The following delegates to the Nominating Convention were then elected: A. H. Harper, H. E. Young, James Kelly, Marlow Cochran, H. H. Fehrenbach, Joseph McCall. Judge Carpenter was introduced, and briefly addressed the meeting. Addresses were also delivered by Colonel R. W. Seymour and William Black. On motion, it was Resolved, that in future the club should meet every Wednesday evening. The club then adjourned.

A very large and enthusiastic meeting of the Ward 4 Club was held last evening at Kathan's Hall, Wentworth street. At 8 o'clock the meeting was called to order by President Z. Davis. A resolution was adopted appointing poll committees for each precinct in the ward. The routine business having been transacted, Messrs. J. A. "oroso, Stephen Riley, Isaac Thorne, R. Holloway and T. Theus were called upon and delivered forcible and animated addresses. A very turbulent member of the Ring, having evidently come for the purpose of creating a disturbance, attempted to interrupt Mr. Moroso, but was quickly put down.

Ward 5 Club met at Oppenheim's Hall, at 7 o'clock, President Fanning in the chair. On motion of Mr. H. H. Oppenheim, it was Resolved, that the president appoint a committee of ten to assist all parties desirous of becoming citizens, in obtaining naturalization papers. After transacting the usual business, the meeting adjourned.

Ward 7 Club met at the hall, corner of King and Line streets, President Grinke in the chair. Only the usual routine business was transacted, and the club adjourned.

RAISING CAIN—Cain's EFFORT CARRIED ON HIGH AND BURN.—About 8 o'clock last night a large number of colored men, headed by a drum corps, marched through some of the principal streets, bearing aloft an effigy of R. H. Cain. Above the head was a placard inscribed "Cain, the Traitor." This display seemed to delight the crowd very much. Finally the procession entered the Military Hall, the crowd shouting and singing "Down with the traitors, up with the flag, &c." In the hall were assembled about five hundred colored men, including the members of the procession. The effigy was placed against the platform, and the crowd assumed themselves by shaking their fists and sticks in its face, and asking it questions, such as: "Did you call that convention?" "How many more mortgages will you let the Democrats lit from your church?" "Will you stand by your nominations?"

After considerable confusion, H. H. Hunter was called to the chair and W. H. Birney elected secretary. Speeches were delivered by Hunter, Taft and others. The speeches consisted in denunciations of Cain, the convention, and of eulogies of the Hurley-Bowen convention. The speeches concluded, the line was reformed, the effigy carried to the vicinity of Cain's house, where it was burned amid the firing of rockets and the shouts of the crowd.

CLUBS AND STARS.—Daniel Roberts, arrested for riotous conduct in Elliott street, was sent to jail for a term of ten days.

Moses Jones was sent to jail for a term of fifteen days, under the vagrant act.

Selpho Barnwell, John Cooper and John Davis, alias Napoleon Bonaparte, members of the Charleston tip-tapping fraternity, were sent to jail by Trial Justice Levy for a term of fifteen days each.

Ben Bailey, Anthony Boston and Orlando Butler, found sleeping in the burnt district last night, and arrested by the detectives, were arraigned under the vagrant law and sent to jail for ten days each.

George Smith, arraigned before Trial Justice Levy, charged with having stolen \$7.50 from Henry Wiley, was found guilty and sentenced to serve thirty days in jail.

Andrew Brown, arrested in Queen street Tuesday evening, about 9 o'clock, while in the act of beating his wife, was turned over to the State yesterday morning for prosecution.

The detectives Tuesday evening succeeded in recovering one silver tray and two silver cups, which had been stolen from a residence in this city a short time ago, and returned them to the owner.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—JUDGE Z. PLATT PRESIDING.—The following business was disposed of yesterday:

The State vs. Harley Mitchell—assault and battery, with intent to kill. On motion of solicitor, not pros. entered.

The State vs. G. W. Hooker—grand larceny. T. B. King, Esq., for defence. Guilty.

The State vs. J. K. Beylin—assault and battery. H. W. Schroder, Esq., for defence. Not guilty.

The State vs. Robert Wickels, Mary Wickels, John Brown and Margaret Brown—burglary and larceny. W. J. Whipper for defence. A jury was tomorrow after several challenges, and after hearing the testimony, the case was continued until this morning.

HOTEL AT MOULTREVILLE.—We understand that arrangements are making for raising the necessary capital for the erection of a fine hotel on Sullivan's Island. This has become almost a public necessity, and, if properly managed, would certainly pay well.

THE COLUMBIA COVINGDON SCRAPE.—Mr. B. Williams, of Columbia, writes us that it was not Captain Williams, of the Governor's Guards, who horsewhipped one Preston Nowell, but Captain Thomas, of the Elliott Guards.

SOUTH CAROLINA INSTITUTE FAIR.—We learn that enough money has been collected to extend the City Railway to the Fair Grounds, and that the work will be commenced at an early day. Also, that the committees appointed to call upon the citizens have been very successful in obtaining subscriptions.

THE MASS MEETING OF THE REFORMERS, called for Monday next, is entirely distinct from the one to be held on the 11th. The meeting on the 3d will be more of a local affair, and will be addressed by gentlemen of this section. The meeting on the 11th will be addressed by Generals Hampton, Butler, Ker-shaw and Connor.

THE MEETING AT POCAITALIGO.—About three hundred persons were addressed at Pocaitigo yesterday by General Butler, Colonel Youmans and Mr. J. A. Moroso, all of whom made telling speeches. The audience, a large number of whom were colored, was deeply interested, and it is believed that much good was done for the Reform cause.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—Coroner Whiting held an inquest yesterday on the body of an unknown colored man, who was run over by the down passenger train of the South Carolina Railroad, when eleven miles from the city. He was lying drunk between the track, and was not discovered in time to prevent the catastrophe. A bottle of whiskey was found on his person. The testimony fully exonerated the officers of the road, and attributed the death to accident.

PERSONAL.—Judge Carpenter, our standard bearer, who has shown himself to be a marvel of endurance and perseverance, is now in Charleston. He and General Butler have already spoken in twenty-nine of the thirty-one counties in the State, and generally, twice or thrice in the same county.

General Butler, the Reform candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, spoke at Pocaitigo yesterday, and went up to Columbia last night. He is in fine health and spirits.

The Hon. Mr. Youmans, who has done good service this canvass, left Charleston last night. Mr. Thomas F. Greener, of the Newberry Herald, is at the Pavilion Hotel.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning about 11 o'clock, a colored man named Bristol Mitchell, employed by the Marine River Phosphate Mining and Manufacturing Company, in loading phosphate rock from the North Atlantic wharf, became entangled in the rope of the steam hoisting engine. He was immediately drawn over the drum and his head was crushed between the connecting rod and the boiler, killing him instantly. He had been in the employ of the company only one day. A jury of inquest was summoned by Coroner Whiting, who rendered a verdict of accidental death. No blame whatever is attached to the engineer. Bristol was a good man and a faithful worker.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER LEOPARD.—This steam vessel arrived at 10 o'clock yesterday, from Philadelphia, with a large cargo of general merchandise and 250 tons coal. She was built a few months since by the Reading Railroad Company to transport coal to Boston, is two hundred feet long, thirty-five feet beam and fourteen feet deep, and has a capacity of eight hundred and thirty-three tons of coal. She discharges from four hatchways and has steam hoisting apparatus, &c., for rapid handling of large cargoes. She is a perfectly plain, substantial freighter, and rates first class at the underwriters, draws ten feet, cotton and rice, loaded. Mr. Courtney, the agent of the Philadelphia Steamship Company, expects to dispatch her on Saturday next, and gives through bills lading to New York and Boston.

HEAVY DEFALCATION OF A RAILROAD OFFICIAL.—From the Macon Telegraph we learn that one of the clerks in the Macon and Western Railroad office in that city—a man between 60 and 70 years of age, and who has hitherto borne an irreproachable character—was detected on Saturday last, in purloining the funds of the company, and placed under arrest. It was his duty to receive the reports of conductors, and any money they might take in on the road, and make returns of the money to the treasurer, Mr. Milo S. Freeman; and recently one of the conductors had reason to believe that said clerk was making false returns, and a tray was made to catch him, and it was successful. The president called the clerk up for an explanation, and he acknowledged the crime, we are told. After returning all the money he had on hand, he was still short about \$3000. For certain reasons, the name of the defaulter is suppressed.

THE CIGAR-MAKERS STRIKE.—MEETING OF THE CIGAR-MAKERS.—A meeting of the cigar-makers of this city was held at the Military Hall last night to take steps for the formation of a society and the securing of better wages in future.

As we learn, there are about fifty cigar-makers in the city who are paid so much per thousand cigars. They claim that it takes from three to five days to make a thousand cigars, the time depending on the quality of the cigar, and that they receive from \$5 to \$15 per thousand. Subjoined is a list of the rates received and the rates demanded per one thousand cigars: Regalia, present rates, \$12 to \$15, demanded rates, \$20; Plantation, present rates, \$10 to \$14, demanded rates, \$18; Paragon, present rates, \$7 to \$8, demanded rates, \$9 to \$10, demanded rates, \$12; Figure, present rates, \$6 to \$8, demanded rates, \$10 to \$12; Jenny Lind, present rates, \$7, demanded rates, \$10; Legal Tender, present rates, \$5 to \$6; Bonquet, present rates, \$5 to \$6; demanded rates, \$8; Urania, present rates, \$4 to \$5, demanded rates, \$7.

A society was organized under the name of the "Cigar-Makers' Protective Union" and the following officers were elected: John W. Stevens, president; William Telford, vice-president; J. A. Galliot, recording secretary; S. C. Eachard, assistant secretary; A. J. Jones, treasurer.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

At the regular meeting of the Stonewall Fire Engine Company, held on the evening of the 21st inst., the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased God, in his inscrutable wisdom, to remove from our midst a dearly cherished member; and to occasion thereby, for the first time in the history of our company, a vacancy which cannot be filled for a long day, it is but proper that we, his former friends and now survivors, should adopt some resolutions indicative of the grief we feel for his loss.

In our collective capacity it is permitted us to mourn the premature death of one whose zeal for the welfare of this company never faltered—whose devotedness to its best interest can never be forgotten. As a polished gentleman, we admired him; a prompt compliance with the requisites of usage and decorum rendered his deportment. As a useful member of our company, we valued him, for we were not ignorant of his worth. As a friend we loved him, for we knew him well. His pure record and high character will ever be cherished by this company. But while we mourn for him, stricken down in the full vigor of his manhood, we are soled by the reflection that his death has been appointed by one "who giveth and who taketh away."

Our sorrow is assuaged by knowing that, what to our poor judgment seems a heavy visitation, proves frequently to be the dark disguise which celestial benedictions often assume. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of William Harris, Jr., this company has lost a zealous member and a faithful comrade, and the community a most promising citizen.

Resolved, That while we lament the premature end of one so deservedly dear to us, we yet cherish the remembrance of his virtues, of his sincere and manly disposition.

Resolved, That a blank page in our Minute Book be inscribed to his memory, and that we wear the usual badge of mourning at our next meeting.

Resolved, That the above preamble and resolutions be published in the CHARLESTON DAILY NEWS and Courier, and a copy of the same be sent to his family.

From the minutes. W. G. MILLER, Secretary.

TO THE UNION REFORM VOTERS OF CHARLESTON COUNTY.

The Union Reform Voters of Charleston County are hereby directed to elect ninety-eight delegates to a County Nominating Convention to meet in the City of Charleston, on Monday, October 3d, at 12 M.

The Convention will nominate Candidates for the following offices, viz: A Judge of Probate, a State Senator, eighteen members of the House of Representatives, three County Commissioners and a School Commissioner.

The ratio of Representatives in the Convention will be as follows:

City of Charleston—Forty-eight delegates, six for each ward.

St. Andrew's Parish—Six delegates.

St. James's Santee—Six delegates.

St. James's Goose Creek—Eight delegates.

St. John's Berkeley—Six delegates.

St. John's Colleton—Twelve delegates.

St. Thomas and St. Denis—Three delegates.

Christ Church—Four delegates.

St. Stephen's—Three delegates.

The wards in the City of Charleston which have not already held elections will elect their delegates at their usual places of meeting on Monday night next.

The meetings for the elections of delegates from the Parishes will be held not later than Wednesday next, the 25th instant, at the usual places of meeting.

GEORGE H. WALTER, sep23 Chairman pro tem. Charleston County.

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